

Abstract of the disclosure

The present invention relates to a device and method for measuring a  
5 blood flow through a coronary system of a heart. It was realized that  
said blood flow causes a temporary change in the impedance of the  
coronary system, in the form of a peak in a first time-derivative of  
the impedance signal.

The method comprises measuring an impedance signal across the body  
10 region containing the coronary system as a function of time,  
determining a first derivative of the impedance signal with respect  
to time, and calculating the blood flow from a peak height of a  
certain peak signal in said derivative impedance signal.

The device comprises a bioimpedance measuring device adapted for the  
15 method.